

AN ORDINANCE BY *Cleta Hines*

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**AN ORDINANCE TO AUTHORIZE ABOVE  
ENTRY HIRING FOR THE FORESTRY  
SUPERVISOR POSITION IN THE  
DEPARTMENT OF PARKS, RECREATION AND  
CULTURAL AFFAIRS; AND FOR OTHER  
PURPOSES.**

**WHEREAS**, the Department of Parks, Recreation and Cultural Affairs is striving to maintain the City's tree canopy along 2,500 miles of streets and 3,500 acres of park land; and

**WHEREAS**, the City is unable to attract suitable applicants for the Forestry Supervisor position due to salary limitations; and

**WHEREAS**, the above entry hiring authorization will provide compensation at an appropriate level to recruit candidates with the requisite education and experience in urban forestry; and

**NOW, THEREFORE IT IS ORDAINED BY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA AS FOLLOWS:**

**SECTION 1:** That authorization is granted to fill the Forestry Supervisor, Position Number 05773, Classification Code 214004, Pay Grade 21, Account Number 1A01 511001 N23201, up to the maximum step of the salary grade, effective beginning the date of the pay period following adoption by Council and approval by the Mayor, or the date this ordinance becomes effective without such approvals per City Charter Section 2-403.

**SECTION 2:** That all ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.